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January 20, 1964

Mr. Edgar Orman  
3668 Kimball Road  
Memphis, Tennessee

Dear Edgar:

We appreciated having you and your family in our services yesterday morning. We hope that you made your trip home safely.

My work for the Herald of Truth has been severely limited during the last two months due to commitments and pressing matters with this congregation's building program. We have been able to increase Broad Street's monthly contribution for 1964 to the Herald of Truth to \$35 per month. As I suggested to you yesterday, we were not at all satisfied with this amount but feel that a wholesome attitude prevails toward the work and that a fine understanding for the yearly increase is understood among our Elders and Deacons.

As you know, I worked with Wyman Wilkerson in contacting county and district workers. I was able to see people in almost every area. Probably the only areas not worked were Bristol, Johnson City, and one or two other small places in that same territory. I believe I sent you names and addresses of all of the people contacted who indicated a willingness to help push the program.

It appears that I am going to be held close to our work here and to my commitments to my meetings and lectures for sometime to come but will be glad to preform specific tasks requested of me. Of course, I continue to encourage congregations in our area and wherever I go to support the Herald of Truth.

Fraternally yours,

John Allen Chalk

I do understand that the Smithvill church is now regularly supporting the work as I encouraged them to do.

cc: Mr. Wyman Wilkerson, Fidelity Enterprises, Abilene, Texas